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TO AMEMBASSY GABORONE IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY MBABANE IMMEDIATE

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GABORONE FOR AMBASSADOR

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDIP, WZ

SUBJECT: CREDENTIALS FOR SWAZILAND

REF: GABORONE 1683

1. FOR GABORONE: DEPT FEELS PRESENTATION AT THIS LATE DATE OF CREDENTIALS SIGNED BY PRESIDENT FORD WOULD BE INAPPROPRIATE. PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS STAFF HAS AGREED TO ASK WHITE HOUSE FOR NEW CREDENTIALS AND PLANS POUCH THEM DIRECTLY TO MBABANE. YOUR PRIOR CREDENTIALS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO DG/PAS.

2. LAST POUCH WITH CHANCE OF ARRIVING MBABANE BEFORE AUGUST 9 WILL BE SENT UNCLASSIFIED FROM WASHINGTON AUGUST 3. DG/PAS CAUTIONS THAT IT MAY NOT BE ABLE TO OBTAIN NEW CREDENTIALS THAT SOON, BUT WE WILL DO OUR BEST.

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3. FOR MBABANE: YOU SHOULD EXPLAIN TO THE SWAZIS THAT THE AMBASSADOR HAS BEEN UNABLE TO PRESENT HIS CREDENTIALS TO THE KING DUE TO A MIXUP IN WASHINGTON AND MAY NOT BE ABLE TO DO SO BEFORE SCHEDULED REGIONAL AID CONFERENCE AGUUST 8-9. IF CREDENTIALS DO NOT ARRIVE IN TIME BUT

SWAZIS UNDERSTAND SITUATION AND SEE NO OBJECTION TO
AMBASSADOR VISITING MBABANE TO CHAIR CONFERENCE, DEPT
HAS NO OBJECTION. VANCE

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